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**SENATE CONCURRENT
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*Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly
of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

1 SECTION 1. That the legislative council require the regulatory
2 flexibility committee to study the topic of merchant power plants.

3 SECTION 2. That the regulatory flexibility committee study the
4 following issues related to merchant power plants:

5 (1) Local zoning.

6 (2) Regulation by the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission and
7 other state agencies, including certificates of need.

8 (3) Public input into siting of merchant power plants.

9 (4) Environmental impact issues.

10 (5) Tax abatement and other tax issues.

11 (6) The need for additional electrical capacity.

12 (7) How the establishment of merchant power plants affects utility
13 rates.

14 (8) How the establishment of merchant power plants affects
15 community cohesion and quality of life.

16 (9) Any public health issues or concerns resulting from the
17 establishment of merchant power plants.

18 (10) Any other issues the committee considers relevant to the
19 establishment of merchant power plants.

20 SECTION 3. That the committee issue a final report containing its
21 findings or recommendations to the legislative council not later than
22 November 1, 2000.

